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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT : Milan Fedurco et al.

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FOR : CONVERSION OF AMINE- TO CARBOXYL GROUPS ON SOLID SURFACES

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated April 15, 2009, issued in connection with the above-identified Application, having a due date for response extended by one month to August 15, 2009 (which fell on a Saturday), please consider the following amendments and remarks. A Petition for a One Month Extension of Time is forwarded herewith.